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DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF ARIZONA

United States of America,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Stephanie Matas

Defendant.

CR25-01627 TUC-AMM(JR)

INDICTMENT

Violations:

21 U.S.C. § 846
(Conspiracy to Distribute
Methamphetamine and Fentanyl)
Count 1

21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and
841(b)(1)(B)(vi)
(Distribution of
Fentanyl)
Counts 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, 11

21 U.S.C. §§ 841(a)(1) and
841(b)(1)(A)(viii)
(Distribution of
Methamphetamine)
Count 3, 5, 7, 10

THE GRAND JURY CHARGES:

COUNT 1

Beginning at or about July 28, 2023, to on or about February 29, 2024, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally combine, conspire, confederate and agree with persons known and unknown to the grand jury, to distribute 50

1 grams or more of methamphetamine, and 400 grams or more of a mixture and substance
2 containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidinyl]
3 propenamide (fentanyl), both Schedule II controlled substances; in violation of Title 21,
4 United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(A)(vi) and (viii).

5 All in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 846.

6 **COUNT 2**

7 On or about July 28, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did
8 knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance
9 containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidinyl]
10 propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United
11 States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

12 **COUNT 3**

13 On or about August 11, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did
14 knowingly and intentionally distribute 50 grams or more of methamphetamine, a Schedule
15 II controlled substances in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and
16 841(b)(1)(A)(viii).

17 **COUNT 4**

18 On or about August 11, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did
19 knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance
20 containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidinyl]
21 propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United
22 States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

23 **COUNT 5**

24 On or about September 6, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS
25 did knowingly and intentionally distribute 50 grams or more of methamphetamine, a
26 Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section
27 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(A)(viii).

COUNT 6

On or about September 6, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidiny] propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

COUNT 7

On or about October 4, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 50 grams or more of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(A)(viii).

COUNT 8

On or about October 4, 2023, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidiny] propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

COUNT 9

On or about January 26, 2024, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidiny] propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

COUNT 10

On or about February 29, 2024, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 50 grams or more of methamphetamine, a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(A)(viii).

COUNT 11

On or about February 29, 2024, in the District of Arizona, STEPHANIE MATAS did knowingly and intentionally distribute 40 grams or more of a mixture and substance containing a detectable amount of N-phenyl-N- [1- (2-phenylethyl) -4-piperidiny] propenamide (fentanyl), a Schedule II controlled substance; in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and 841(b)(1)(B)(vi).

A TRUE BILL

/s/

FOREPERSON OF THE GRAND JURY
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